

Abstract

A blanket for printing which has a supporting layer or a reinforcing layer comprising a plurality of woven fabrics laminated via an elastic binder layer formed on the underside of a surface layer which is to be a printing surface, the warps of the woven fabrics constituting the supporting layer and the reinforcing layer comprising a vinylon yarn which is a spun yarn spun by a wet solvent cooling gel spinning method. The warps of at least one of the woven fabrics constituting the reinforcing layer should comprise the vinylon yarn which is a spun yarn spun by the wet solvent cooling gel spinning method. Use of the woven fabrics whose warps comprise the vinylon yarn which is a spun yarn spun by the wet solvent cooling gel spinning provides satisfactory adhesion and press resistance to repeated compression in high-speed printing, little settling and improved resistance to smashing at the time of cutting paper.